

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, South Dakota was founded with hard work, perseverance, dedication to duty, and concern for one's fellowman; and,

Whereas, Marvin Peterson, an architect from Sioux Falls, South Dakota, started his career with Spitznagel Incorporated, from 1963 to 1976, he then worked for Architecture Incorporated until 1979, when he became part-owner of Sioux Falls Construction; and,

Whereas, Marvin is involved in both the Sioux Falls and Brandon communities, serving on planning and zoning committees; he is involved with the Sioux Falls Chamber, serves on the Sports and Recreation Committee and the Issues Management Committee; and,

Whereas, Marvin has been a volunteer with Howard Wood Relays, and involved with Rotary, Junior Achievement and United Way. He served on the board of the Ronald McDonald House; and,

Whereas, Marvin is a graduate and strong supporter of South Dakota State University and is a member of the Empire Staters Club; and,

Whereas, Marvin and his wife, Jodi, are the parents of three children--Pam, Tana, and Grant--and they have been blessed with one grandson; and,

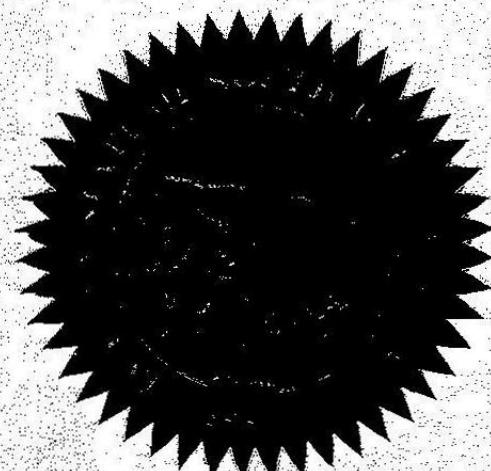
Whereas, Marvin's hobbies are golfing and reading, and he enjoys sports of all levels; and,

Whereas, Marvin's friends and family will gather on May 28, 2004, in honor of his retirement:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim May 28, 2004, as

MARVIN PETERSON DAY

in South Dakota.

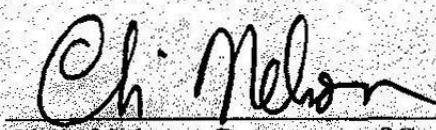


In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-fifth Day of May in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Four.



M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:



Chris Nelson, Secretary of State